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BATTLE ON A TRAIN.

In a battle on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad's Royal Limited, northbound, which began between Newark, Del., and Wilmington, Del., at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon and ended at the Delaware Avenue Station at Wilmington, three men, including the one who started all the trouble, were killed, two were seriously injured and others were grazed by bullets.

The dead are J. H. Bethea, 40 years old, of Dillon, S. C.; O. E. Wellman, 40 years old, of Philadelphia, conductor of the train; Samuel Williams, 50 years old, colored Pullman porter of Washington.

The injured are: John J. Wiley, a Wilmington Park guard, 40 years old, shot in the groin and hand and Matthew Halsey, a citizen, shot in the leg.

The tragedy was an outcome of a quarrel between Bethea, a passenger who boarded the train at Washington, and Williams, the porter, in the buffet smoking car Mercury. Bethea, who had been drinking, shot the porter through the heart, killing him instantly. Conductor Wellman heard the shot, and, running back, remonstrated with the passenger who still held the pistol in his hand. Although the negro was dead, Bethea fired a second shot, the bullet entering the victim's stomach. Then, without a word, he turned and shot Wellman, who fell dead. The bullet had passed through his right arm, which he had thrown up to protect himself, and into his head.

The passengers in a mad rush to safety ran back into the car in the rear, while Bethea rushed into a compartment of the car, barricaded himself in and threatened to kill the first person who approached.

By this time the train reached the station at Wilmington at 5.17 o'clock and a hurry call was sent to the police station. Police Officers Kane and Evans, Sergeant Kelleher and a squad of patrolmen, reinforced by park guards and a posse of trainmen and citizens, rushed to the scene. Bethea was called upon to surrender, but he only opened the door of his fortress far enough to poke an automatic revolver through the crack and begin to fire. Chief of Police Black, who had also reached the scene of hostilities, dodged just as a bullet whizzed by his head.

The South Carolina man must have had at least 100 cartridges, for he held the posse of several hundred men at bay and also held up the train from 5.17 o'clock until 6.35, and travel over the road was stopped. Early now and then the police opened fire at the car until all of the windows were riddled.

After an hour the police saw they would be unable to drive the man from cover, and a call was sent to the Water Witch Fire Company, near by, for its engine. The apparatus responded on the run. A high pressure hose was attached to a water plug, and, with the firemen behind a barricade of boards and trucks, a stream was played upon the window of the compartment in which Bethea was.

Betha fired a fusillade at the firemen, the police all the while calling upon him to surrender. In a few minutes, drenched with water, he staggered to the platform, and again the police shouted to him to hold up his hands. Without a word and with a air of bravado, he leveled his automatic revolver at the police and several shots rang out in quick succession.

Just as he fired the last shot Police Captain Evans, who had secured a shotgun, fired. A load of shot struck the murderer in the face, but still he continued to blaze away. Patrolman B. Light then fired with a pistol, and the bullet struck Bethea in the right arm. He tried to fire again, but Sergeant Kelleher fired and at the same time sprang upon the man. Several other policemen started to shoot, but the crowd yelled "Don't kill him!" The shotgun and the bullets from the policemen's revolvers had already done their work, however, for just as Bethea was taken hold of by the police he fell dead into the arms of one of them.

The bodies of the conductor, porter and double murderer were sent to the morgue. The car was switched off and the remainder of the train proceeded to Philadelphia and New York.

When Williams, the porter, was shot he fell into a seat, and the body, with the appearance of one looking out of the window, was plainly seen as the battle raged.

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Dr. McCormack at Summer Schools

Richmond, Va., March 24.—Dr. J. N. McCormack, the well known health lecturer, has accepted an invitation to visit Virginia during July and to speak at the summer normal schools in behalf of public health.

The state health commissioner, who gave out this information today is greatly elated at being able to secure Dr.

McCormack for a second tour of this state, especially as Dr. McCormack is in demand as a lecturer all over the country.

"When Dr. McCormack was last in the state," said the commissioner this afternoon, he lectured by invitation in several cities and towns. Wherever he went he was cordially received and was always greeted by large audiences. In every instance his delightfully humorous and strong lectures aroused great enthusiasm. Some of the audiences he addressed were so aroused by the logic of his remarks they at once formed health or improvement leagues and began serious movements for better municipal conditions.

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PRICES OF MEAT.

Previous gains in meat prices were made to look insignificant in Chicago on Monday when an increase of one to three and one-half cents a pound was announced in the cost of dressed mutton cuts. This was accompanied by an advance of a half-cent in dressed beef cuts and one and one-half cents a pound in the value of live chickens. A shortage in the available supply of sheep and lambs and the fact that packers are paying highest prices ever recorded for live muttons at the stockyards were the reasons given for the sharp rise in the price of mutton products.

The advance brought mutton racks to 18 1/2 cents a pound, legs and loins to 16 cents and stewing cuts to 10 1/2 cents. Live stock traders say they do not believe that the present deficit in the supply of sheep and lambs will be overcome before July, and in the meantime they look for both the live and dressed offerings to sell at still higher prices. Live lambs at the stockyards sold up to \$10.60 a hundred pounds, while best sheep reached \$8.75.

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